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Statement Shows Annual Tithes Are \$1,887,920.

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issued by the Mormon church was presented in the Tabernacle today Salt Lake City, Utah, April 9.-The report shows that the church collected \$1,887,920 from tithes in 1914. of which \$730,960 was expended on church building: \$330,984 to maintain the church schools; \$64,508 to maintain the Mormon temples; \$227,900 for missionary work; \$99,293 to maintain church offices; \$136,727 to com plete and maintain a hospital in Salt Lake City, and \$116,238 to the poor.

The report shows that the Mormon relief societies and the local church organizations gave \$150,290 additional for the relief of the poor. and that the European war relief fund of the church amounted to \$33,-000, which has been sent abroad to be disbursed through the church representatives. The expenses of the general officers of the church are not paid from tithing, the report says, but from revenues derived from the church's investments.

The report shows a net increase in the membership of the church of 129,493 for the period from 1901 to 1914; a birth rate of 39.5 per thousand; a death rate of 8.3 per thousand and a marriage rate of seventeen per thousand in 1914.

The report, which embraces the operations of the church throughout the world, shows that 1,316 men and ton dresses? 145 women are engaged in Mormon children were born in 1914; that 73 per cent of the families in the church own their own bomes and that 315,-000 members of the church were born in the United States. The total membership is not riven.

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OBJECT LESSONS ARE PLENTY FROM WARRING NATIONS IN EUROPE - REFORM THE EX-TRAVAGANT SCHOOL DRESS.

"I believe that there have been few periods when the general practice of thrift by the American people would result in so much benefit to the country as at the present time. The conditions brought about by the war in Europe ought to awaken the public to the importance of thrift and the cost of extravagance."-Governor Strong of Alaska.

The steps taken by the warring naions of Europe to preserve the food supply for their people is a big object lesson in the possibilities of more thrifty living in this respect, even in lands that are at peace.

It is said that the kaiser and kaiserin are cutting down the expenses of the imperial household and teaching the German people a lesson in frugality. The standard of meals at court appears to be no higher than that of many private families in Berila. Both at the front and in the palace in Berlin the kaiser lives with Spartan simplicity. A favorite dishi is thick soup, containing chopped guilty, meat. The kaiserin visits the kitchen every day, giv'ng orders and superintending the cooking. "One cannot live sumptuously while our brave soldiers are making the greatest sacrifices," she is reported to have said.

While across the water many men, women and children are on the verge of starvation, and in our own country there are many needy ones, the statement is made that the average American family wastes enough food in one week to keep a Belgian or a Pole alive and in health for two weeks.

What will open the eyes of many of our housekeepers to their extravagance? Shall this lesson of the war go unlearned? Do not these housekeepers know that waste is their badge of incompetency? The really scientific cook wastes nothing. Stale bread, cake, left-overs of meats potatoes and other vegetables, cold cereals, macaroni, etc., can all be made to reappear in forms quite as appetizing as their original ones. So say successful housekeepers, at any rate. Husbands have not been heard from on this point

"In the interests of good taste, household economy, scholarship and social relations," says the Spokane Spokesman Review well to push for a reform in the extravagance in school-girls' dresses." What became of that movement to help the south by wearing more cot-

Banks often -ke some of their own missionary work; that 14,717 Mormon medicine and try to save money. A country bank about a year ago installed and waste-paper baling machine, having found that baled paper commanded a much better price than loose paper. Now over half the junitor's wages comes from this source. The Scientific American says:

"The fact that the loss from a leaking water faucet is small should not lead us to neglect small leaks because by disregarding them we tend to become slovenly in all things. Eurthermore, small leaks do not remain small. The constant leakage of faucets wears small passages through the seats and makes tightness impossible. The next thing, then, is a new faucet with the accompanying plumber's bill, which is notoriously not small."

According to the United States de partment of agriculture, the waste produced in the process of canning salmon is estimated to be from 25 to 50 per cent of the original weight of the fish and over \$2,000,000 is the value of this waste annually on the Pacific coast. The department suggests that canneries might advantageously dispose of their waste by manufacturing it into fertilizer or fish meal for poultry or cattle feeding.

A report comes from Puget Sound that some of the big canneries are investigating the proposition, and one for two of them have already signified their intention of erecting plants to overcome this waste and add to their profits.

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JUDGE ALBERT BARNES ANDER SON, WHO PRESIDED AT TRIAL OF INDIANA ELECTION GANG STERS HAS HISTORY.

Indianapolis, Ind., April 8 - The foldest and most courageous man or the federal bench will pronounce sentence next Monday or Mayor Don M. Roberts and 26 other election gangsters convicted of wholesale frauds in city elections.

That is U. S. Judge Atherr Barner Anderson-the "Tiger Jedge" he has been called. He is justice personfied. He wants nothing but the fruth and in a cold impersonal absolutely fearless manner he proceeds to get it. He is relentless.

"It's His Eves

"It's his eyes," say prisoners and witnesses who have been prought be fore him. "When you stand before and searches your yory youl, and whether you want to or not."

It was Judge Anderson who sat on the bench in one of the greatest labor trials in history, when the structural iron workers were accused of fighting their labor battles with dynamite and 38 men were found

Judge Anderson also presided in the famous trial of John R. Walsh, Chicago's multi-millionaire bank wrecker. Here was a test of his fearlessness.

Influences Useless.

Senators congressmen and minor legislators, judges and wealthy business men, fought to save the aged banker from conviction, but despite these influences Walsh went to the penitentiary.

The retrial of the Standard Oil case and the wiping out of the \$29,-000,000 fine occurred in Judge Ander-

And it was Judge Anderson who refused to send the defendants in the Panama libel case to Washington for trial. This practically knocked out Roosevelt's case against the publishers of the Indianapolis News and the New York World.

Roosevelt Appointee

It was Roosevelt who, seven years before that, had made Anderson a federal district judge.

Later Roosevelt met Harry New Indiana republican boss at a reception at which Anderson was present. "Is that the judge who decided the libel case? asked the Colonel.

"Yes." answered New And Teddy Said:

"Well," snapped Roosevelt, "He is a jackass and a crook."

For every day use Judge Anderson wears a pained and worried expression. Some would call him "grouchy." others might term it "just crankiness," but everybody who has come in contact with him agrees he does not talk much.

He isn't exactly a Sphinx, because every now and then a glint comes into his shrewd eyes, the thin firm set lips part-and then Judge Anderson does say something-something very much to the point.

Native Hoosier.

He was born in Zionville, Boone county, Indiana, in 1857 and is a graduate of Wabash college. He was admitted to the bar in 1881, and practiced at Crawfordsville, where he was prosecuting attorney for several

He is married, and in private life, perhaps, would be best described as ust a "plain, home man."

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